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MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 15, 2018

TO: Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents
Public School Academy Directors

FROM: Venessa A. Keesler, Ph.D., Deputy Superintendent 
Division of Educator, Student, and School Supports

SUBJECT: The Michigan Department of Education Read by Grade Three Guide

In alignment with Goal 2 of the Top 10 in 10 Years State Strategic Plan, the Michigan Department of Education's Literacy Team has created a Read by Grade Three Guide to better support Michigan schools in understanding the legislative requirements of the Read by Grade Three law. The guide also provides tools and resources for districts to communicate the law to educators, families, and communities.

The Guide is available on the MDE website at <http://mi.gov/earlyliteracy/>

If you have questions regarding the official statement above, please email MDE-EarlyLiteracy@michigan.gov.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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